

THE EMPRESS EXPRESS

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EMPRESS, ALTA. THURSDAY, JUNE 21st, 1917

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Agricultural Society

Field Grains Competition

Requests Best Turnout of Farmers To Visit Mixed Farming Train

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Empress Agricultural Society was held in the City Hall on Saturday afternoon. The Committee appointed for the purpose of interviewing the Village Council regarding a grant towards defraying the expense of an annual fair to be held this year reported that they were not successful in securing such grant.

The matter of holding an annual fair this year was given thorough discussion. Owing to the lack of interest shown by the farmers in the matter, and the depleted condition of the Society treasury, it was resolved

that the fair be postponed for the year 1917.

On the matter of a standing grain competition for the year was discussed. On motion it was decided to conduct a competition again this year on the same lines as last year with an entrance fee of \$3.00 open to any member of the society or any farmer who becomes a member by payment of membership fee of one dollar for 1917. Fifty dollars in prizes will be paid each of the following classes, Wheat, Oats and Flax.

First prize . . . \$20
Second prize . . . 15
Third prize . . . 10
Fourth prize . . . 5

The members of the society are requested to make an extra effort to get out as large a number of farmers as possible for the Mixed Farming Special Train which is to visit Empress on June 27, 9 to 12 a.m. The train is to be made up here at Empress, and will consist of fifteen cars with exhibits showing the educational work being done by the Department of Agriculture in grains and weeds, dairying, poultry, stock raising, etc. The train will be accompanied by several first-class lecturers, who will give talks on various subjects of interest to the farmers. An opportunity will be given for the discussion of any subjects or problems presented by the farmers. Wednesday, June 27, is the date.

Bindless News

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The G.P.R. have been busy the past week, building an addition to the freight shed, which will be a great benefit to the public in general.

A. Rachul and C. A. Smith returned last Wednesday from a trip through Southern Saskatchewan and Montana, and report crops in this country in good view of anything they had seen.

Mr. D. Haig, of the Empress Lumber Yard, has been transferred to Empress.

Mr. Thorne, representative of the Imperial Lumber Co., was a business visitor to Bindless this week.

Messrs. Boughen & Bartlett, of the Bindless Hardware, received two carloads of hardware this week, and are now in a position to supply the needs of the farmers in the hardware line.

Much says there are sixteen gangs between here and Sharrows, via the river trail. Robson prefers travelling by hand car via the C.P.R.

Mr. England contemplates going into the hog business.

C. Y. George is in Calgary on business.

The beautiful rain which fell on Sunday brought back to the farmers that smile which has been lacking for the past week.

Bindless was well represented at Mr. Barnes' dance on Wednesday evening. All reported an excellent time.

Mr. C. B. Haninger and H. McFarlane paid us a visit recently.

There is Not Much Time

And We Have Not Much Space

But we would like to draw to your attention the fact that the Memorial Contest closes June 30. That Messrs. Henderson and Block have accepted the position of judges. The conditions are all contained on the inside page, and that you need to hurry that suggestion on it's way if you intend to get one of those prizes.

Local and Personal

Constable Vank left Saturday on a business trip west.

Union Sunday School, at the usual hour, Sunday next, in the theatre. All welcome.

Your suggestion for Memorial Contest is due.

A box social and dance is to be held at Binloss on June 29, proceeds will be devoted to the Red Cross Fund.

Mr. M. G. Boyd returned on Saturday from Winnipeg, where he has been receiving medical attention for the past few weeks.

Let us forget—The Memorial Competition will close June 30. Send in your suggestion today.

Mr. and Mrs. McGill, of Coliholme, Alberta, were in town this week for a few days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Belle and renewed acquaintance with many old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Phillips arrived in town on Tuesday, en route to their farm in the Plain District. We trust that the natives gave the newly married couple a fitting welcome on their arrival at the farm.

The organization of the Auto and Good Roads Club, took place at the City Hall on Thursday evening last. Sixteen members were enrolled. Officers elected were: G. L. Brown, pres.; G. M. Johnston, vice-pres.; M. A. Blodgett, Secretary-Treas.

A number of the Empress Elite attended a dance at the home of John Palmer, of the Deer Forks district, on Saturday night last. They report an exceptionally enjoyable time. After lunch a programme was arranged and a number of the latest songs and good recitations were given. A collection, amounting to \$40.00, was taken up, the proceeds will be given to the Red Cross Fund.

His Lordship, Bishop McMillan of Calgary, will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation at Empress, about the 12th of July. All those who expect to receive confirmation, are asked to attend religious instruction at Mr. Carl Frenzel's, township 23, r. 2, sec. 31, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, July 2nd, 3rd and 4th at 8 p.m. and on Tuesday and Wednesday morning at 8 a.m. at the same place.

First Real Play Ever Seen In Empress Coming Here

Is "FRECKLES," The Song Play

A United Producing Company attraction "Freckles" comes to the Grand to-morrow, June 22. Those who have read Gene Stratton Porter's famous novel of the same title, and they number in the millions, will be even more delighted with this

charming song play which contains all the fragrance and romance of the great Indiana "Lumberlost." It is not only the best of an inspiration, but it is one of the most modern and picturesque productions of the art stagecraft, for the beauty of nature and the breath of romance are found in the story.

You must know Freckles, the little red-headed homeless waif, so many people all over the world have read about. His story and his life, has irresistibly appealed to an enthralled people in half a dozen languages.

It is hard to estimate how many men, women and children have followed this pathetic little hero from the steps of the founding home where he is forsaken, with one hand cruelly chopped off, and from there, in after years, through all the vicissitudes of his fight against the world, and odds for a name which is almost impossible in the tremendous, and not one can afford to miss seeing what their imagination pictured.

The Freckles that you will see when the curtain rises, coming down the corduroy into the heart of the Lumberlost, is a plucky little red-headed creature in whom nature seems to have blended all her moods. Nature was his mother and endowed him with all the gifts at her command. In him will be found the fierceness of the raging tempest, the pity of the breeze when it sighs through the Lumberlost; the joy of the sun when it kisses the rippling waters; the brooding of the still night and the peace of the twilight. To him the trees and flowers and rocks and waterfalls speak in certain language.

You will listen to the simple story of his life: "he tells it in a song." You will see the light of joy, shadow of sadness, and the mirth and earnestness of desire, playing in his eyes and on his lips as he tells her of his great love. You will see him rise from a lowly life to one of affluence and power, through indomitable courage, supreme faith and unswerving honesty. Seats now selling at Brown's Drug Store.

Acadia Valley News

W. M. G. Reid returned on Sunday, after spending a week at Banff.

Mrs. L. N. Lomer, of Calgary, is guest at the home of the Misses Peers.

A large crowd attended the entertainment given by the Helping Hand Society on Sunday, June 18, and all reported a good time. The proceeds amounted to \$115. The ladies of the Society desire to thank all who helped with the entertainment, and are especially grateful to Mr. Sutherland, of Empress, who contributed several songs, and Mrs. H. Francis and Mrs. R. Francis, of Bonnie River, who so generously furnished music for the dance.

Rev. R. Vans, of Vernon, B.C., is visiting his daughters, Mrs. D. M. Graham and Mrs. G. L. McLeod.

Official announcement has been received here that Private Daniel T. MacFaul, of the 1st Batt. Cameron Highlanders, has been killed in action.

Business Locals

See conditions of Memorial Contest on inside page.

John F. Miller, Alberta's Eye-sight Specialist, of Calgary, 401, Avenue B, who has had over two thousand people in Southern Alberta wearing his glasses, is coming to Empress, by request, and will be at the Rexall Drug Store on Friday and Saturday, June 29-30. Consultation free.

The person who has lost a lost—so will you lose that chance of winning the prize for the Memorial Contest if you do not hurry. Conditions on inside page.

Entertainment

Day and Night for 100 Hours At the Great Medicine Hat Stampede and Exhibition

The biggest four days of entertainment ever pulled off in Western Canada will be enjoyed at Medicine Hat on July 16-19, 12-13, when the great Stampede and Exhibition, the Western Canada Baseball Championship tournament, the four day Race Meet, and the Grand Elks night street Carnival will take place. There will hardly be time to sleep if one wants to take it all in.

Unlike similar events in the

past, there will be no hold-ups at Medicine Hat. The fare for auto hire to the grounds, for sleeping and other accommodations are all set by the committee and will be rigidly enforced. The houses and public buildings of the city will be thrown open to the visitors and perfect arrangements are made to make every one comfortable and happy. Cheap rates have been secured on all railways.

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The train will stop for half a day at each of the following places:

Empress	Wednesday, June 27th	9.00-12.00 a.m.
Panora	Wednesday, June 27th	2.00- 5.00 p.m.
Jenar	Thursday, June 28th	9.00-12.00 a.m.
Barons	Thursday, June 28th	3.00- 6.30 p.m.
Gleichen	Friday, June 29th	9.00-12.00 a.m.
Langdon	Friday, June 29th	2.00- 5.00 p.m.
Shepard	Saturday, June 30th	9.00-12.00 a.m.
Calgary	Saturday, June 30th	2.00- 6.00 p.m.

(Exhibition Grounds) Also Monday, July 2, all day
(The train will be placed on Exhibition siding)

THIS SPECIAL TRAIN will consist of FIFTEEN CARS including THREE CARS of Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Swine, to be used for demonstration purposes; other cars will contain Exhibits upon which Demonstrations and Lectures will be given on different phases of Agricultural Work and Domestic Science. Amongst other things these Exhibits will include Models of Farm Buildings suitable for Dairy Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Poultry, also Veterinary Exhibits. There will also be Exhibits of Game, Grains, Grasses, Weeds, samples of stock-raising work at the Agricultural Schools, Dairy Products, and Farm Dairy Equipment.

Farm Womens Section

There will be one car containing Exhibits from the Household Science Departments of the Schools of Agriculture, and another under the direction of the Women's Institute Department, where demonstrations will be given in Home Nursing, Cooking and in the Canning of Fruits, Vegetables, Meats and soups. A special car will be provided for the children, so that the mothers may be free to attend the Lectures and Demonstrations.

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"I'm afraid," said the junior member of the law firm, "that we are causing our client unnecessary trouble."

"Oh, that's all right," replied the senior member; "we'll charge him for it."

European coalition against the United States, England intervened, thus probably saving the United States from humiliation.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

Japan's New Naval Base
Japan has recently bought of Portugal the little island of Macao at the mouth of the Canton River, near Hongkong. That gives Japan a strong naval base, such as Gibraltar is to Great Britain, and a stronghold to Germany. It can be used to menace any European power in the East, and to threaten Japan in the West.—Youth's Companion.

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"Was it their daughter's birthday celebration?"
"No. It was their automobile fires."

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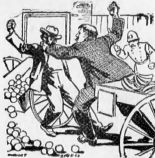
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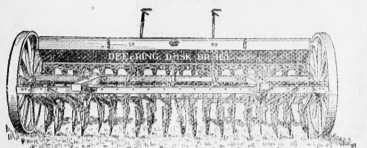
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THURSDAY, JUNE 21st, 1917

GLEVENNAH NEWS

Just a few lines of news so
as to keep in touch now and
again.

We are glad to learn that
Mr. Buchanan, the school in-
spector of this district, thought
that school was needed enough
to hire a teacher and send her
in at once.

Why not change the name of
the Glevannah School and Post
Office and get one more magic
such as Josephine. As the
people in Glevannah District
are getting their mail at Josephine.

Watch for a good picnic at
Glevannah in the near future.

What is the matter with the
Gopher of Josephine. He was
a month late when he came out,
he must have gone back owing
to the dry weather. Another
case of "Josephine, where art
thou?"

Miss B. Polk has taken charge
of the Glevannah school as
teacher for the balance of the
season.

Call at the Rexall Drug Store
and get one of John F. Miller's
folders, explaining a few of the
conditions the eye produces.

The Swift Current Fair Board has
contracted with The Robinson Amuse-
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form attractions for the summer ex-
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the kind that money can buy. One is
Lucille LeMont, the celebrated aro-
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What Sort of Memorial Should This Town and District Erect in Honour of Our Soldier Boys Who Have Fought in the Great War : : :

To the person who in the opinion of the judges offers the BEST suggestion for a MEMORIAL, we offer a prize of FIVE DOLLARS IN CASH; To the second THREE DOLLARS and to the third TWO DOLLARS. Every member of the family can take part. Your judgment, your knowledge of what would be the best sort of memorial is what is sought.

The Spirit of this Contest of The Express Express is one of Mutual Interest and Pride in the Memory of our Boys who have Fought in this Great War.

Judges will be announced later

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Name
Post office
Remarks (limited to 100 words)

The contest calls for the exercise of intelligence and judgment and cannot help but prove of advantage to every participant.

Contest commences Friday, June 1st, 1917, and closes Saturday, June 30th, 1917, at six p.m.

Social Plains Items

Local Plains will give their annual picnic July 6th.

Oscar Lyon has his addition to his house nearly completed.

J. Williamson is breaking for John Fowle.

The roof is on Bert Leeper's new barn. How about rubbing some music in the floor some night?

John Fowle and better half motored to Medicine Hat last Saturday.

Frank Lyons was rendered unconscious Tuesday evening while riding an outlaw.

The plasterers are at work plastering H. Swanson's new house.

Opal & Stewart are sinking a well for J. Hansen, and have gone 125 ft. through stone and clay.

Say Mr. Bangs, you had better lay down your fence until Frank gets the steering apparatus to working on his bronk.

Did you see the smile on Harry? Why shouldn't he with that girl who is hulloing Dad.

[Correspondents are reminded that they must sign their names (not for publication) to notes sent in; write on one side of paper only, and write plainly.—Ed.]

No matter who you have seen concerning your eyes, if you are not relieved call and see John F. Miller, Alberta's Eye-Sight Specialist, at Rexall Drug Store, Friday and Saturday, June 29-30. Do not hesitate to bring your children. Consultation free.

New Homestead Map

A new edition of the Southern Alberta Homestead Map, a most useful publication, both from the standpoint of the settler and the business man, has just been issued by the Natural Resources Intelligence Branch of the Department of Interior, Ottawa.

While the primary object of this map may be said to have been to afford reliable information to the prospective settler as to land open for location, it is also designed to assist the general public, which in many instances supply the 'sinews of war' for the opening up of a new country.

The colour scheme adopted in former editions of the map has been simplified in this, the tenth edition. The land has been divided into two main classes. The first of these represents that which has been

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already patented, and the second shows that which, while entered for, has not yet been patented. In addition to these divisions the various colours in diatone forest reserves, Dominion parks, timber belts, grazing leases, Dominion Land Offices, and coal areas. The areas uncoloured and shown as surveyed are available for settlement. Another very important feature shown is the precise location of the railroads, these great arteries of trade, while other topographical features, such as the position of lakes and rivers, are also indicated.

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Thursday, June 21, by car lots, No. 1 Nor., 2.17

“ “ “ by the load, “ 2.13

Oats, street price, 55c; car lots 60 Flax, by load, 2.55

Local and Personal

Among the names of wounded men, contained in a recent casualty list, was that of M. Baptist, Paneras.

Sunday School will be held at the home of Mr. Harry Foster, Josephine, at the usual hour next Sunday.

The surveying of the cemetery is now completed, and persons who wish to purchase plots can now do so.

A refreshing downpour of rain on Friday throughout the southwest district gave a measure of relief to both farmers and business men. The downpour varied in localities. Messrs. Ostrom & Setran report that at Jenner and Bindloss the rainfall was light, but at Idlesleigh, between Buffalo and Paneras, and east of Bindloss the rainfall was heavy.

WING TAI LAUNDRY

PRICE LIST

Shirts 2 for 15c
Collars 4 for 10c
Handkerchiefs 4 for 10c
Socks 2 pairs for 5c
Blankets per pair 30c
Flannellette Blankets 15c
Sheets each 5c
Table Cloths each 5c
Undershirts 2 for 15c
Drawers each 15c

Cleaning and Pressing
2-piece Suits 75c
3-piece Suits 1.00

Buttons sewed on clothes free of charge.

Wing Tai, Prop. - Centre St.

G. M. Johnston left on Saturday morning for Medicine Hat and Calgary.

The I.O.D.E. will meet at the theatre, June 26, at 2.30 p.m. Mrs. Bellie and Mrs. Botsford will serve refreshments.

Messrs. Ostrom & Setran are announcing a dance for Friday night next in their new Dory Garage.

For the first 1,000,000 men the United States will place under arms, it is estimated 325,000 horses and 100,000 mules will be required.

William Highmore is having a modern two-storey bungalow constructed on his farmstead west of town. Contractor Dan Winn is in charge of the work.

Grades V., VI., and VII. are enjoying a semi-holiday this week from school, while Grade VIII. is studying for their entrance examination.

Tom O'Neill says that you can't use an automobile as a motor boat. Tom tried with his car at Aston's slough, so we guess he should know.

The front of the Alberta Machine Shop is now presenting a much improved appearance as the result of alterations and a new coat of paint.

Contractor Torrey is engaged in the construction of a modern bungalow for H. P. Gregg at the corner of Fourth Avenue and Third Street West.

Dr. Kydd returned this week from a trip to Macklin. He received on Wednesday morning his doctor's licence for the Dominion of Canada.

Contractor and Mrs. A. C. McDougal, of Calgary, were the guests of friends here over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Henderson accompanied them on a motor trip to Prussia on Saturday.

J. T. Sandereck, of Crystal City, Man., is building a residence on two lots in block 16. Mr. Sandereck found the climate here very beneficial to his health, so decided to make his home in Empress.

They say that Empress is getting so dry that Steve has cut out indulging in the usual highball with the engineer previous to departure of his train from here.

In the house of commons, Saturday, June 16, Sir George Foster introduced his daylight saving bill. He said its one purpose was to advance the clocks one hour during the summer months. The bill would be brought into force each year, he said, by proclamation.

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